

In the City Council
City of Lodi
Lodi, California

RESOLUTION NO. 1244

A RESOLUTION STATING NECESSITY FOR STATE
ASSISTANCE TO THE CITY OF LODI, CALIFORNIA,
IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF NECESSARY SEWAGE AND
WASTE DISPOSAL WORKS.

WHEREAS, the population of the City of Lodi has increased from approximately Eleven Thousand (11,000) population in 1930 to an estimated population of approximately Fifteen Thousand (15,000) at the present time; and

WHEREAS, the present sewage disposal facilities, waste collection lines, out fall sewers and drains for domestic sewage, are upwards of Twenty (20) years in age, and are inadequate for the disposal of domestic sewage and wastes, and are incapable of being used for the disposal of cannery wastes and wastes from food processing plants; and

WHEREAS, canneries and food processing plants necessary to preserve and care for agricultural products are now located in the said community and additional food processing plants are contemplated in the said community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lodi has been and is now disposing of said domestic and industrial wastes in an entirely inadequate manner and on a temporary basis only, and in such manner as to threaten in the future to create a possible nuisance, and if present conditions are allowed to continue, a possible menace to health; and

WHEREAS, new sewage disposal works, new waste collection lines, out fall sewers, storm drains and other structures for the ultimate disposal of sewage and waste products at a distance removed from places of human habitation must be and have been considered and planned for by said City Council of the City of Lodi; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lodi has at an expense in excess of \$25,000.00, purchased a site and has made engineering studies and plans for such additional sewage disposal facilities as are required by said City which indicate that the cost thereof will exceed the sum of \$400,000.00; and

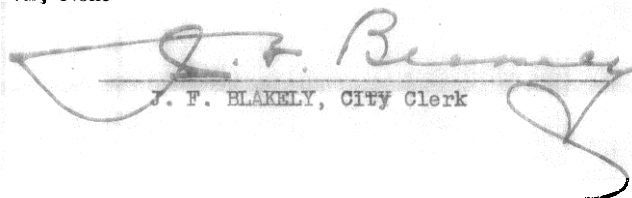
WHEREAS, the said City of Lodi has insufficient funds available to construct said additional sewage disposal facilities, and must receive financial assistance from some source for such purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Lodi, California, that the Legislature of the State of California be, and its members are hereby urgently requested to appropriate to the cities of California, out of surplus monies now in the State Treasury, at least Ninety Million Dollars thereof to be allocated to the cities and counties on a population basis, for the construction of essential public works; that any monies so received by the City of Lodi from said appropriation will be used for a purpose which is clearly of state-wide interest, to-wit: The construction of adequate sewage disposal facilities for the said City of Lodi.

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Certified to be a full, true and correct copy of the original Resolution No. 1244 adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi on Wednesday the 5th day of December, 1945 by the following voter

AYES: Councilmen, Coffield, Riggs, Tolliver, Weihe and Mayor Rinn
NOES: Councilmen, None
ABSENT: Councilmen, None


J. F. BLAKELY, City Clerk